

EXPEDITED PROCEDURE
Examining Group Number 2132

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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| Title: | DEVICE-SPECIFIC FIREWALL | | |

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116

OK TO ENTER: /L.L./

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Dear Sir/Madam:

This Amendment and Response is in reply to the Final Office Action mailed January 8, 2008. Applicant respectfully requests entry of this Amendment and is proposing this Amendment to place the application in a condition for allowance.

Applicant notes that this Amendment and Response is being filed with a Notice of Appeal, and is being submitted to place the application in condition for allowance or in better form for appeal. Per MPEP 714.12, any amendment that will place the application either in condition for allowance or in better form for appeal may be entered. In addition, amendments filed after a final rejection, but before or on the date of filing an appeal, complying with objections or requirements as to form are to be permitted after final action in accordance with 37 CFR 1.116(b).

Please amend the above-identified patent application as follows: